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Opinion No. 2 Complaint Description:	2012 - 107275 08A Rate Case Items - N/A Not Applicable First:		12/7/2012
Complaint By: Account Name: Street:	Patricia Meyer	Meyer Home: (* Work:	
City: State:	Green Valley AZ Zip: 85614	CBR: is:	
Utility Company. Division: Contact Name: Nature of Complair 11-17-2012 Patricia Mever Green Valley, AZ 85614 Phone (Home): Email:		er Company Contact Pl	AZ CORP COMMISSION DOCKET COMMISSION

Hello... I'm a customer of TEP and feel a 12.5% rate increase is excessive! This past hot summer, my husband and I kept the AC at 76 and our summer bills were still over \$200 a month for our home (under 1200 sq. ft.) We can't afford higher bills! TEP has good ratings (Fitch. Etc.) and although its profits are dropping a little, I see no reason to raise rates. Please don't approve this rate request!
End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

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Date: 12/7/2012

Complaint Description:

08A Rate Case Items - Opposed

N/A Not Applicable

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Complaint By:

Joyce

Smith

Account Name:

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Division:

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Contact Name:

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November 20, 2012

Arizona Corporation Commissioners Pierce, Burns, Kennedy, Newman, Stump

Utilities Division

1200 West Washington

Phoenix, AZ 85007-2996

RE: Tucson Electric Power

Dear Commissioners.

Tucson Electric Power is asking for another rate increase.

Really?

When 1 opened the most recent statement received and looked at Page 1, I almost had a heart attack. ... but not exactly for the reason you might think (though that one is cause as well: very high charges). You see, in August I bought a single-wide mobile home, but have not yet moved in; therefore, the electricity usage is nearly nil. I'm still in the house I've lived in since 1998, slowly getting things ready in the mobile home. Unfortunately, I have learned to expect outrageous charges for electricity at my current address (one of the reasons I regret on a monthly basis leaving my apartment in NYC). The statement has only the mobile home address on Page 1: the charges shown are almost \$300.

For a mobile home? that no one is living in? I almost had a heart attack! (I'm 70). It took a call to TEP to find out that Page 2 is for my current address and that the charges - in fine print - for the mobile home address, on Page 1, buried at the bottom of a long column of fine print figures, are what one might expect: about \$20 (thank heaven). Who could see that? Cut to the chase: I requested that my current address where I expect high charges be shown on Page 1. "Oh no, that's not possible. The system automatically puts the newer address on Page 1 because it's usually transitional. The house on Page 2 will automatically drop off when you're not there."

"Doesn't a person program the system? A person can program it to put my current address on Page 1. When I'm no longer paying for it, the mobile home will automatically be on Page 1."

"Oh no, we can't do that. The program was very expensive. It cost ten (a hundred?) thousand dollars. You'd have to set up 2 separate statements."

(I.e., more waste. That they can program?!)

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So we are paying TEP thousands of dollars for programs that have no flexibility? TEP wants more money to pay for more crappy programs? Really?

I make automatic monthly payments to TEP via SNAP (with a charitable donation). Where is the consideration? Where is the sustainable, affordable solar power here in the land of 350+ days of sunlight? (An individual system is very costly. I'm moving to a mobile home.) Where is the sanity? Thank you for your consideration in this matter. Sincerely.

Joyce smith

End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

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